



HON. MORRIS ELLER.

One of the new Trustees of the Sanitary District of Chicago, who was presented with an elegant silver loving cup by the West Side Business Men's Association, when he was ushered into office Tuesday afternoon.

that he possibly can, as he can always count on them as his true friends.

Mayor Kiel, who is a hale fellow, well met, stated in conclusion that after carefully considering the matter he had finally decided to lead the Grand Old Republican Party onto another glorious victory at the forthcoming election in that city.

In bidding us farewell, Mayor Kiel extended his hand to us and said: "Friend Taylor, every time that you blow into St. Louis, breeze in and see me," and we thanked him very heartily for his invitation to call on him at any time in the future.

In conclusion we must pause for a few moments to state that it pleased us to meet two of our warm lady friends at the big celebration, namely, Madam Emma Collins Payne of Kansas City, Mo., who has blossomed out as a sweet voiced soprano song bird, and she held forth before the footlights on Thursday to the great delight of those who heard her warble on that glorious occasion, and the other lady was Mrs. Ruth Anderson of St. Louis, who looked ever so loving and charming.

QUINN CHAPEL NOTES.

A great revival service is now in progress at Quinn Chapel A. M. E. Church. Miss Ida Mae Myler, evangelist, is preaching to large audiences every night. Next Sunday afternoon there will be a special address by Miss Myler to men only. Dr. Stewart, the pastor, will deliver another of the series of sermons Sunday morning. Subject: "The Paramount Question" or "What Is Our Faith." Sermon at 10:45 a. m.

NEW OFFICERS.

Ruth Temple met at 3638 S. State street Monday evening and after hearing reports for the year, held their election of the principal officers for the year. Mrs. Flossie Edgill, W. Princess; Mrs. Bettie A. Givens, W. Sec'y; Mrs. Estella Adams W. Treas. and M. T. Bailey, W. Joshua.

DEATH OF EARL D. BONDS.

Earl De Courtney Bonds was born in Chicago, Ill., March 10, 1894. He attended the Parker Practice School and Englewood High School.

He professed faith in a personal Savior through the efforts of Sister Johanna P. Moore at Berean Baptist Church, where he attended Sunday School.

Later he united with the Bethesda Baptist Church, where he worshipped Sunday and partook of the Lord's Supper.

Earl was endowed with an especially amiable disposition and was well liked by all who knew him. He was married to Miss Susie Christopher, July 29, 1917.

At the time of his death he was an employe of the Grand Trunk Railroad and a member of the Railroad Men's Association, Local No. 7.

The departed leaves a wife, a mother, three sisters and a niece to keep him in memory.

Earl has gone to join his father and sister and be with God, where all is joy, peace and love.

The funeral of Earl D. Bonds was held Thursday morning at 11 o'clock from his late residence, 6652 Wabash avenue. Rev. E. T. Martin officiated and a quartette choir from Berean Baptist Church with Mr. Walter Gosette as accompanist furnished the music. The floral offerings were many and beautiful. Interment at Mt. Greenwood Cemetery.

Mr. David A. McGowan of Kersey, McGowan and Morsell, funeral directors in charge.

STILL IMPROVING.

Since early spring, Mr. and Mrs. H. Settles, 11348 S. Throop street, Morgan Park, Ill., have made many remarkable improvements in their home.

FEELING BETTER.

Mrs. Isabelle Chappell, 3130 S. Dearborn street, continues to improve after having a long spell of sickness.

THE BROAD AX HALL OF FAME.

By Dr. M. A. Majors.

Mr. W. H. Davis, one of Chicago's leading chiropractors, is a man of fine spirit and wide influence. One of the live wires of The People's Movement, and a valuable aid to the valiant leader, Hon. Oscar DePriest. Mr. Davis has always stood for the development and aggressive spirit of his people in Chicago, and is always alive to the needs of his people in their civic affairs. The boys all like the doctor; in fact, he has a multitude of friends.

Capt. James S. Nelson won fame in Houston, Texas. When Liberty bonds were to be bought to boost the Eighth Regiment in their purchase, it is said that Lawyer Nelson bought bonds by the hundreds. He is a member of The People's Movement and the treasurer of the same. Organizations of like nature owe much to sturdy, stalwart men of this stamp.

Charles Duke, secretary of The Pyramid Building and Loan Association, is an electrical engineer of repute, having done valuable service for the city of Chicago. He is a scholar and a brave man that has stood the test. Progressive spells the same thing when we mention Mr. Duke's name. A fine fellow that knows and does the true and noble things.

Delbert Lawrence Lee, builder of the great Appomattox clock, is a finished cabinet man, as noble as a prince. A man who looks up and forward with the true ring of the aristocrat, but kind and generous to a fault. You may be well acquainted with him, you think, but you may not know him at all if you have not searched deeply into the treasure of his rich mind. Delbert surprises us all whenever he has a mind to do so.

Edward D. Green was one time czar of the old second ward, and politician. He also knows a thing or two about the lodges, and will again make himself felt in the life of our city. Ex-member of the Legislature, and a good fellow at the clubs, and banquets, a big K. of P. and a taxpayer are features in the life of a man that count. We like to meet him, because he is a man of most excellent poise.

Mr. C. N. Langston is beginning to loom large upon the horizon of our civic life. He is the cashier of the Bings State Bank, and with a ripe experience at banking, covering a period of twenty years, we may expect the great financial enterprise controlled by Mr. Bings to flourish by the great assistance of Mr. Langston.

COL. THEO. ROOSEVELT'S RELIGION.

Essence of Colonel's Creed Contained in One Verse of Micah.

"I wonder if you recall one verse of Micah that I am very fond of—to do justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with thy God—that to me is the essence of religion," said Col. Roosevelt, according to John J. Leary, Jr.'s "Talks with T. R." (Houghton, Mifflin Co., Boston). "To be just with all men, to be merciful to those to whom mercy should be shown, to realize that there are some things that must always remain a mystery to us, and when the time comes for us to enter the great blackness, to go smiling and unafraid."

"That is my religion, my faith. To me it sums up all religion, it is all the creed I need. It seems simple and easy, but there is more in that verse than in the involved rituals and confessions of faith of many creeds we know."

"To love justice, to be merciful, to appreciate that the great mysteries shall not be known to us, and so living, face the beyond confident and without fear—that is life."

THE COLORED WOMEN ARE WIDE AWAKE DOWN IN GEORGIA.

Atlanta, Ga.—Protest against using funny pictures of Negro babies for advertising purposes and comical postcards has been entered by Mrs. Alice Cary, president of the Federation of Negro Women's Clubs in Georgia.

The protest was read before the convention of the Federated Clubs to Georgia and a resolution offering the co-operation of the state federation to the Negro federation was adopted.

RETURNS FROM INDIANA.

M. T. Bailey, 3638 S. State street, President of the Milton Mercantile Agency and Manager, The Bailey Realty Company, visited many towns in Indiana last week adjusting matters for his many clients.

GOES TO CHURCH.

Mrs. Sarah B. Benton, 4535 Champlain avenue, has improved and was able to be out last Sunday among her many friends at the Metropolitan Community Center.

AT BAILEY'S HALL.

The officers and members of the Virginia Society will meet in their regular monthly meeting Wednesday evening, Dec. 15, at Bailey's Hall, 3638 S. State street. All Virginians invited to be present.

HOWARD UNIVERSITY ROUND TABLE DISCUSSIONS.

Washington, D. C.—for promoting the discussion of university problems and the exchange of ideas among the many new departments of the Howard University, a series of Faculty Round Tables has been substituted for the usual Faculty Club organization. The latter organization had lapsed for a period of two years owing to the employment of so large a part of the staff in various forms of war teaching and service. The present scheme is to have each department in rotation conduct a Round Table meeting, followed by general discussion and social entertainment.

The first of these Round Table discussions was held at the home of President and Mrs. Durkee, University Hill, Thursday evening, November 4, administrative problems being discussed by President J. Stanley Durkee and Dr. Emmett J. Scott, Secretary-Treasurer of the University. They were followed by Professor William A. Hazel, instructor in architecture, who discussed the form of architecture which should be followed in future buildings to round out the University building program.

The program for the current year is as follows:

The Administrative Officers and the Department of Architecture, November 4, "Architectural Development at Howard."

The Department of English and Modern Language, December 2, "The Effect of the War Upon Literature." The Department of Music, January 27, "The Contribution of the Negro to Music."

The Departments of Pure Science and Mathematics, February 24, "Recent Changes in the So-called Fundamental Theories of Science."

The Departments of Sociology and Religion, March 31, "Social Service Agencies and Training in the American College."

The Department of Education, April 28, "The Nationalization of American Education."

The Chairman of the respective departments or of the first named department will preside at each of the meetings. Departments not represented on this year's program will be asked to participate next year.

HOWARD UNIVERSITY SETS NEW STANDARDS OF ACADEMIC DISCUSSIONS.

Washington, D. C.—An unusual course of lectures has been scheduled at Howard University for the Academic Year 1920-21:

November 18. The Psychical Research of Sir Oliver Lodge, by McLeod Harvey, A. N., Ph. D., Professor of Psychology.

December 9. Protoplasmic Streaming, its Role in Vital Phenomena, by Ernest E. Just, Ph. D., Professor of Zoology and Physiology.

December 16. Social and Moral Values by Kelly Miller, A. M., LL. D., Professor of Sociology; Dean of the Junior College.

January 13. The Structure of a Drug and its Physiologic Action, by St. Elmo Brady, Ph. D., Professor of Chemistry.

January 20. Waves, Kinds and Uses, by William Coleman, A. M., Professor of Physics.

February 3. The Black Sons of France; the Senegalese in the World War, by Edward C. Williams, B. L., Professor of Bibliography; Instructor in Italian; Librarian.

February 10. On the Einstein Theory of Relativity, by Dudley W. Woodard, S. M., Professor of Mathematics; Dean of the School of Liberal Arts.

March 3. Psychological Aspects of the Writings of Guy de Maupassant, by

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Metz T. P. Lechard, B. Sc. L., Assistant Professor of French.

March 10. The New Scientific Humanism, by Alain LeRoy Locke, Ph. D., Assistant Professor of Philosophy.

March 24. The Evolution of Gothic Architecture (Illustrated), by Mr. William A. Hazel, Instructor in Architecture.

April 7. Romantic Aspects of Biological Development, by Richard E. Schuh, A. M., Ph. D., Professor of Biology and Geology.

April 14. The Fourth Gospel and Greek Tragedy, by Davie R. Pratt, A. B., D. D., Professor of Church History and Sociology; Dean of the School of Religion.

April 21. Umlaut in English and German, by Edward P. Davis, A. M., Professor of German and Greek.

May 12. The Epic of Milton, by J. Stanley Durkee, A. M., Ph. D., D. D., President of the University.

For this course of lectures invitations have been extended to the Faculty of the University, the teachers of the Public Schools of the city of Washington, and to the public generally. They serve to bring into the Howard University serious discussion of subjects of high intellectual and moral value.

GETS NEW PRESIDENT.

Mrs. Mary Foster, 344 E. 41st street, has been elected President of the Sisters of Bethany, which meets at Bailey's Hall, 3638 S. State street. They have put on a drive for a large membership.

CHIPS.

Mrs. Nora Keiser, 3857 S. State street, is able to be up and around and about again after a short spell of sickness.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter N. Thomas, 2359 S. State street, recently purchased a lovely flat building at 439 E. Forty-fifth Place, and they are now comfortably located in the first apartment.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carey, 4427 Grand boulevard, left the latter part of last week for Los Angeles, Cal., where they will spend the winter in their beautiful home, 2190 Adams street, that city.

Hon. Joseph F. Haas, County Recorder, and Mrs. Haas, left Monday evening on a ten days' vacation trip, to New Orleans, La., Mr. Haas declaring before his departure, that it was the first vacation that he has had in seventeen years.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Richardson, of Los Angeles, Cal., who spent part of last summer in this city with friends, after traveling over sixteen thousand miles around over the country, have landed safe and sound back in their far western home.

Mr. J. W. Hensley, 3528 Vernon



DR. WALTER N. THOMAS.

One of the best and one of the most popular physicians in this city, who has been recently highly honored by the Prince Hall, Grand Lodge of Masons.

DR. WALTER N. THOMAS HIGHLY HONORED BY THE MOST WORSHIPFUL PRINCE HALL GRAND LODGE OF ILLINOIS AND ITS JURISDICTION.

The Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Illinois and jurisdiction presided over by the Right Worshipful Grand Master Thomas H. Samuels, highly honored Dr. Walter N. Thomas, 33rd degree, at their last annual communication by conferring on him the title and privileges of a Past Master.

Such distinctions are usually conferred on brothers for meritorious service or great distinction by Scottish Rite Masons. It was conferred on George Washington and Thomas

Dunckerly of Scotland, by subordinate and grand lodges in their time. Brother Thomas presented to Prince Hall Grand Lodge a precious memento from the grave of our ancestor and first Grand Master, Prince Hall of Boston, the founder and father of all legitimate Masonry among Negroes of America.

Dr. Thomas was a member of Exemption Board No. 2 of Chicago during the recent conflict of the U. S. in the World's War, also served with the 8th Ill. Infantry on the borders of Texas and Mexico in 1916.

In his profession, he stands high and commands the respect of his associates and friends.

Dr. Thomas will hold the distinction of being the first on record, of color, to have received this honor.

avenue, returned home last Saturday morning, after spending six weeks at Jetmore, Kan., with one of the aged and wealthy uncles of Mrs. Hensley, who may in the near future come and end his days with them in this city.

Mrs. Dollie Smith Jennings, 3648 Prairie avenue, will on Wednesday evening, December 22, give a coming out party and dancing in honor of her daughter, Miss Ulla Alone Smith at the Unity Club House, 3140 Indiana avenue.

Mrs. Benjamin G. Johnson, 6514 Evans avenue, will leave tomorrow morning for St. Louis, Mo., where she will spend the holidays, with her mother, Mrs. Hattie Buster Shaffner, 4256 W. St. Ferdinand avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

Madam Maude Cuney-Hare, author, pianist and noted lecturer, and Mr. William H. Richardson, baritone, of Jamaica Plain and Boston, Mass., appeared in a successful and brilliant joint recital at the First A. M. E. Church, Los Angeles, Ca., last Wednesday evening, under the management of Mr. Noah D. Thompson.

Bishop W. Sampson Brooks, who will sail for Africa the first of the coming year to perform his labors for his church, has also been assigned as Bishop of Oklahoma. Everything seems to indicate that Bishop Brooks will have his hands full in serving Africa and Oklahoma, at the same time as their reigning bishop.

Envy is blind and knows nothing except how to depreciate the excellencies of others.—Livy.

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